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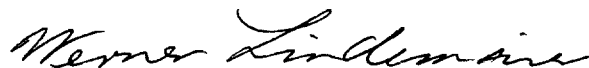
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I oppose the draft M.O.U. being proposed by the FDA. In particular, I object to the definition of "inordinate amount" which restricts the availability and the right to obtain necessary compounded medications by limiting the number of prescriptions that can be shipped across state lines from specialized compounding pharmacies.

This limitation will affect the quality of my life by severely restricting my ability to obtain medication prescribed by my doctor. The medication I need is not available through local pharmacies or through commercial pharmaceutical manufacturers.

I strongly object to the government's attempt to restrict such interstate commerce. It is the job of my doctor to decide what medication should be available to me not that of the government. I can only think of one reason such restrictions are proposed by the FDA and that is the strong lobby of the large pharmaceutical companies. That is not a valid reason.

Sincerely,

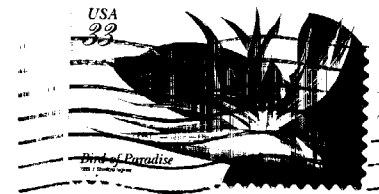


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